

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department – Kadapa District – Certain Irregularities committed in execution of certain silt application works under NREGA in V.N. Palli(M), Kadapa District by Sri P. Viswanatham, M.E.O., and Sri C.Venkatesu, former MPDO, V.N.Palli(M), Kadapa District– Disciplinary action initiated by framing Articles Of Charges against Sri P. Viswanatham, M.E.O., and Sri C.Venkatesu, former MPDO, V.N.Palli(M), Kadapa District - Appointment of Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Kadapa as Enquiry Officer and Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Kadapa as Presenting Officer –Orders –Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Rt. No. 346

Dated: 10-3-2011.

Read the following:

1. From the ENC, P.R., Lr. No. Vig.(4)/30599/08, Dated:1.12.2008.
2. Govt. Memo No. 27816/Vig.II/A1/2008-1, Dated:20-12-2008.
3. Govt. Memo No. 27816/Vig.II/A1/2008-2, Dated:10-8-2009.
4. Procdgs.Rc.No.E2/2894/08, Dated:19.8.2008 of the District Collector, Kadapa.
5. Charge Memo No.Vig.II(2)/30599/08, Dt:22.9.2008 of the Engineer-in-Chief (PR), Hyderabad.
6. From Sri C.Venkatesu, M.E.O., Written Statement Of Defence Dt:7.9.2008.
7. From Sri P.Viswanatham, M.E.O., Written Statement Of Defence Dt:20.10.2008.
8. From the ENC, P.R., Lr. No. Vig.(4)/30599/08, Dt:10-3-2010.

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ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj has informed that Sri P. Viswanatham, MEO, V.N. Palli (M), has committed irregularities in execution of certain silt application works under NREGA resulting which an amount of Rs.36.54 lakhs was misappropriated. Sri P. Viswanatham, MEO has superchecked most of the silt application works and from the Enquiry Reports, silt application has not been done even in 25% of the extent for which MEO, MPDO and others are responsible.

2. Disciplinary action was initiated by framing Articles of Charges and calling their Written Statements of Defence against Sri P. Viswanatham, M.E.O., and Sri C.Venkatesu, former MPDO, V.N.Palli(M), Kadapa District vide references 4th and 5th read above.

3. The Charged Officers, viz; Sri P. Viswanatham, M.E.O., and Sri C.Venkatesu, former MPDO, V.N.Palli(M), Kadapa District, have submitted their Written Statements of Defence, in the references 6th and 7th read above.

4. After examining the matter, the Government hereby appoint Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Kadapa as Enquiry Officer, under Rule 20(2) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Service (C,C&A) Rules, 1991, to conduct Departmental Enquiry against Sri

P. Viswanatham, M.E.O., and Sri C.Venkatesu, former MPDO, V.N.Palli(M), Kadapa District.

5. The Government also hereby appoint the Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Kadapa as Presenting Officer, to present the case before the Enquiry Officer, appointed in Para 4 above, on behalf of the Government, under Rule 20(5) (C) of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

6. The Presenting Officer shall acquaint himself with the facts of the case and present the case, before the Enquiry Officer, effectively. He is also requested to obtain and produce all necessary documents required by the Enquiry Officer, during the course of enquiry.

7. The Enquiry Officer is requested to conduct enquiry strictly in terms of Rule 20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 and submit his report, as required under sub-rule 18 (ii) of the above said Rule. Copies of Charge Memos issued to the Charged Officers and the Written Statements of Defence submitted by Sri P. Viswanatham, M.E.O., and Sri C.Venkatesu, former MPDO, V.N.Palli(M), Kadapa District, are herewith furnished to the Enquiry Officer, as required under Rule 20(7) of APCS(CC&A) Rules, 1991.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DR. RAJIV SHARMA,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT(PR).

To

The Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Kadapa (W.E's).

The Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Kadapa (W.E's).

The individuals concerned through the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad (W.E's.) (with a request to serve the copies of this Order to the 2 C.O.'s).

The Secretary to Vigilance Commissioner, A.P.V.C. (w.r.t. Lr. No. 8879/VC.G1/2008-3, Dated: 2.2.2011).

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SECTION OFFICER